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| APPLICANT: Alexander I. Kalina | § | EXAMINER: |
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| SERIAL NO: 10/617, 367 | § | GROUP ART UNIT: 3742 |
| FILED: 07/10/2003 | § | DOCKET: 02019/05UTL |
| FOR: Process and Apparatus For Boiling | § | · |
| and Vaporizing Multi-Component Fluids | § | |
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I hereby certify that this Application and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Fostal Service in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee," addressed to:

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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December 10, 2003

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PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant respectfully petitions the Assistant Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to grant a **ONE MONTH** extension of time to and including **December 9, 2003**, in which to file a response to the office action dated **October 9, 2003**.

A check in the amount of \$55 is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 501518.

Respectfully Submitte

Date: December 10, 2003

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